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- 1. BELOW IS DFAT REPLY TO EMBASSY NOTE SENT IN RESPONSE TO REFAIR:
- 2. EXCERPT FROM DFAT NOTE NO 397/77, QUOTE:

THE CONTENTS OF THE EMBASSY'S NOTE, AND IN PARTICULAR OF ITEM 6 ON PAGE 3, (SAME AS IN REFAIR) ARE NOTED. THE DEPARTMENT ADVISES THE EMBASSY THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA CONSIDERS THAT THE ENACTING OF COPYRIGHTS LEGISLATION IS NECESSARY TO ENCOURAGE AND PROMOTE NATIONAL CREATIVE WORKS. ACCORDINGLY IT HAS AUTHORISED THE DRAFTING OF COPYRIGHT LEGISLATION. IT ALSO FELT THAT PAPUA NEW GUINEA'S ACCESSION TO THE UNIVERSAL COPYRITGHT CONVENTION IS DESIRABLE AND THE APPROPRIATE ACTION WILL BE TAKEN WHEN THE NECESSARY LEGISLATION IS ENACTED. END QUOTE. OLMSTED

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